

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>MAIL STOP AMENDMENT</b>
Munaf Rahimo et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2822
Application No.: 10/579,837	)	Examiner: Paul E. Patton
Filed: May 17, 2006	)	Confirmation No.: 5756
For: NEW IGBT CATHODE DESIGN	)	
WITH IMPROVED SAFE	)	
OPERATING AREA CAPABILITY	)	

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 27, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4.